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July 27, 2002

 Ms. Julie Perry
 Reports Analyst
 Federal Election Commission
 999 E Street, NW
 Washington, DC 20463

Dear Ms. Perry:

This letter is in response to your letter dated June 7th and received at my office on June 17th concerning CULAC's amended April monthly report (3/1/02 -- 3/31/02), dated 5/17/02.

Your letter indicates that CULAC made contributions in excess of \$5,000 to Congressman Dennis Hastert of Illinois for the 2002 primary election. In truth, CULAC misreported a contribution made to Congressman Hastert's leadership PAC, Keep Our Majority PAC, in February 2001. The contribution was erroneously reported as a contribution to Congressman Hastert's personal campaign committee. An amended report for February 2001 is being filed electronically.

In addition, CULAC mistakenly designated contributions to Congressman Don Manzullo of Illinois and Congressman Max Sandlin of Texas to the 2002 primary election, after the date of those elections. We have requested that the campaigns refund these contributions as soon as possible. Copies of the refund requests are attached to this communication and the refunds will appear on CULAC's FEC report in the month in which they are received by this committee.

Please note that our FEC filing software, Gnosso, does not permit us to electronically send a text letter such as this. Our reports and necessary amendments are filed electronically. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at 202-638-5777.

Sincerely,

 Patricia Sowick
 Treasurer

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June 27, 2002

Treasurer
Max Sandlin for Congress Committee
PO Box 1281
Marshall, TX 75670

Dear Sir or Madam:

It is with great pleasure that CUNA and the Texas Credit Union League have supported your most recent campaign.

Unfortunately, CULAC inadvertently made a contribution designated for your 2002 primary election after the date of that election. The contribution in question is check number 9393 in the amount of \$1,000 and dated 3/27/2002. In order to comply with Federal Election Commission regulations, we respectfully ask that your campaign refund \$500 to CULAC.

Your refund should be made payable to CULAC and mailed to 601 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 600, Washington, DC 20004. We truly regret this error and apologize for any inconvenience that this may cause to your campaign. We look forward to continuing to assist your campaign in any manner possible.

If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact me at 800-356-9655, x 6712, or kkincer@cuna.coop. Thank you for your prompt attention and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Karen Ward Kincer
Political Director

cc: Gretchen Ziegler, Texas Credit Union League



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June 27, 2002

Treasurer
Donald Manzullo for Congress
304 Barbara Avenue
Mt Morris, IL 61054

Dear Sir or Madam:

It is with great pleasure that CUNA and the Illinois Credit Union League have supported your most recent campaign.

Unfortunately, CULAC inadvertently made a contribution designated for your 2002 primary election after the date of that election. The contribution in question is check number 9369 in the amount of \$1,000 and dated 3/21/2002. In order to comply with Federal Election Commission regulations, we respectfully ask that your campaign refund \$1,000 to CULAC.

Your refund should be made payable to CULAC and mailed to 601 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 600, Washington, DC 20004. We truly regret this error and apologize for any inconvenience that this may cause to your campaign. We look forward to continuing to assist your campaign in any manner possible.

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Karen Ward Kincer
Political Director

cc: Pat Huffman, Illinois Credit Union League

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